

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

In re Patent Application of

KOIKE et al

Serial No. 09/546,227

Filed: April 10, 2000

Title: A CERAMIC SUPPORT CAPABLE OF
SUPPORTING A CATALYST, A CATALYST-
CERAMIC BODY AND PROCESSES FOR
PRODUCING SAME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231



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Examiner: E. Johnson

Date: October 4, 2002

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☒ **NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated
April 4, 2002 of the Examiner twice/finally
rejecting claims 73-78, 80-99, 102 and 103 (\$ 320.00)

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☐ An appeal **BRIEF** is attached in triplicate in the pending appeal of the
above-identified application (\$ 320.00) \$ 0.00

☐ An **ORAL HEARING** is requested under Rule 194 (\$280.00)
(due within two months after Examiner's Answer) \$ 0.00

☐ Credit for fees paid in prior appeal without decision on merits -\$ (0.00)

☐ A reply brief is attached in triplicate under Rule 193(b) (no fee)

☒ Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this
paper and attachment(s) (\$110.00/1 month; \$400.00/2 months; \$920.00/3 months; \$1440.00/4 months) \$ 920.00
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☐ Applicant claims "Small entity" status, enter 1/2 of subtotal and subtract
☐ "Small entity" statement attached. -\$ (0.00)
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Less two month extension previously paid on September 4, 2002 -\$ (400.00)

TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED \$ 840.00

Any future submission requiring an extension of time is hereby stated to include a petition for such time extension.
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or
asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this
firm) to our **Account No. 14-1140**. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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